8 Dhenkenal
9 Jaipur
10 Kendrapara
11 Khurda
12 Parlekhamundi
13 Paradeep
14 Puri
15 Baripada

Besides the above, two survey units are functioning to delimit the problem and identifying pricrity areas for instituting control measures in the State.

Village Health Guides

2042. SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR SAHU: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Village Health Guides in the country as on 31-12-91 and number of them in Orissa District-wise;

(b) whether the trained Village Health Guides are provided with some medical kits/medicines;

(c) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(d) what are the reasons for not supplying to them the medicines regularly?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D.K. THARA DEVI SIDDHARTHA): (a) As per the latest information compiled in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare for the quarter ending 30.9.1991, 3,35,590 Village Health Guides were reported to be working in the country. The district-wise position of Village Health Guides in Orissa as on 31.12.89 is indicated in the statement (*see* below).

(b) to (d): the medical Kits/Medicines are not being provided to Village Health Guides after June, 1986 as the functioning of the Scheme has been under review.

Statement

District-wise position of Village Health Guides in Orissa (as on 31st Dec., 1989)

Districts	No. of VHGs in Position
Cuttack	4073
Puri	2425
Ganjam	2266
Phulbani	656
Kalahandi	1222
Balasore	1894
Mayurbhanj	1350
Keonjhar	816
Sundargarh	478
Dhankanal	1305
Sambalpur	1740
Balangir	1228
Koraput	1740
Total:	21193

PHCs in States

2043. SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR SAHU: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state the names of States/Union Territories where the PHCs have so far been assisted/proposed to be assisted in providing Laboratory facilities along with the number of PHCs, State-wise and Union Territory wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D.K. THARA DEVI SIDDHARTHA): A statement showing the State-wise/Union Territory-wise allocation of the funds for providing the Laboratory facilities at Primary Health Centres and Rural Dispensaries is given below:—

Statement

Laboratory Facilities at PHCs and Rural Dispensaries

(Rupees in lakhs)

Sl. No.	States/UTs	Physical target 1988-89	Amount	Physical target 1989-90	Amount	Physical target 1990-91	Amount	Physical target 1991-92	Amount
1	Andhra Pradesh					155	9.15	155	1.20
2	Arunachal Pradesh			10	0.60				
3	Assam			25	1.50				